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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

ABROMAVAGE ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/552,878

Filed: April 20, 2000

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
NETWORK SECURITY

Art Unit: 2157

Examiner: EL CHANTI, HUSSEIN A.

AMENDMENT

Box: Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-1390.

Amendments to the Specification: None.

Amendments to the Claims: reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: begin on page 13 of this paper and includes an attached replacements sheet.

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